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of
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The Council met in the Legislative Chamber at 12 of the clock with Sachivottama Sir C. P. Ramaswami Aiyar, K. C. S. I., K. C. I. E., LL. D., the Dewan-President in the Chair.

## MEMBERS SWORN.

The following members took the oath and signed the Rolls:—

1. Mr. I. C. Chacko (*Chief Engineer, Roads, Irrigation and Miscellaneous*)
2. Mr. A. S. Damodaran Asan (*Food Grains Purchase Officer*)
3. Mr. A. Gopala Menon (*Director of Public Instruction*)
4. Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker (*Secretary to Government*)
5. Rajyasevapravina A. Lakshminarayana Aiyar (*Financial Secretary to Government*)
6. Mr. N. K. Narayana Pillai (*Legal Remembrancer to Government*)
7. Dr. H. Parameswaran (*Controller of Stationery and Printing*)
8. Rajyasevapravina G. Parameswaran Pillai (*Chief Secretary to Government*)
9. Mr. V. Sivasankara Pillai (*Inspector-General of Police*)
10. Rao Bahadur T. V. Venkiteswara Aiyar (*Conservator of Forest*)

## QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

*Price of tapioca.*

1. *Mr. K. M. Kesavan (*Karunagapally, Kartikapally and Ambalapuzha* cum *Shertallai*): Will the Government be pleased to state whether there has been any Government order as to the price at which tapioca should be sold?

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**Mr. A. S. Damodaran Asan** (*Food Grains Purchase Officer*): Yes.

**Mr. K. M. Kesavan**: May I know from the honourable member whether tapioca is sold at the prices fixed by Government anywhere in Travancore?

**Mr. A. S. Damodaran Asan**: Yes, Sir, everywhere.

**Mr. K. M. Kesavan**: May I know whether any action has been taken against any one who does not sell at that rate?

**Mr. A. S. Damodaran Asan**: No action has yet been taken.

**Mr. Thomas Chandy Mukkadan** (*Nominated*): തിരുവിതാംകൂറിലെ ഏതെങ്കിലും ഭാഗത്തു ഗവൺമെൻറു നിയന്ത്രിച്ചിട്ടുള്ള വിലയ്ക്കു കൂടുവിൽക്കുന്നതായിട്ടറിയാമോ?

**Mr. A. S. Damodaran Asan**: ഗവൺമെൻറു നിയന്ത്രിച്ചിട്ടുള്ള വിലയ്ക്കല്ലാതെ വിൽക്കുന്നതായിട്ടറിയാൻ പാടില്ല.

**Mr. Thomas Chandy Mukkadan**: യാതൊരു സ്ഥലത്തും ഗവൺമെൻറു നിശ്ചയിച്ച വിലയ്ക്കു വിൽക്കുന്നില്ല. ഇതിലേയ്ക്കു പരിഹാരമുണ്ടാക്കാൻ ഭയവുണ്ടാകുമോ?

**Mr. A. S. Damodaran Asan**: അങ്ങിനെയുള്ള വിവരങ്ങളെക്കുറിച്ചു് അറിയിച്ചാൽ തീർച്ചയായും അതിനെപ്പറ്റി അന്വേഷണം നടത്താൻ ഗവൺമെൻറിനു താല്പര്യമുണ്ടു്.

## UNSTARRED QUESTION AND ANSWER.

### *Camp shed at Perumbavoor.*

1. **Mr. G. Narayana Aiyar** (*Parur, Kunnatnad and Muvattupuzha cum Devicolam*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of persons who have halted at the camp shed at Perumbavoor during 1118;

(*b*) whether the camp shed at Perumbavoor is supported on all sides by mud walls and roofing supported by pillars on all sides;

(*c*) whether the camp shed is safe and convenient for halting and what is the age of that camp shed building; and

(*d*) whether there is sufficient water in the well in the camp shed throughout the year and whether there is scarcity of water during any part of the year?

**Mr. I. C. Chacko** (*Chief Engineer, Roads, Irrigation and Miscellaneous*): (*a*) 195.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Yes. Information *re*: the age of the building is not available.

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